Attorney Docket 072955-0101

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Hiroyuki OTA

Title:

SYSTEM FOR COMPUTING PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTION OF LOAN

LOSSES

Appl. No.:

09/540,890

Filing Date: 03/31/2000

Examiner:

S. Snapp

Art Unit:

3624

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended	-	Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	22	-	22	=	0	x	\$50.00	= .	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	10	-	10	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: + \$360.00						= .	\$0.00		
					CLAIM	SFE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$450.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00	\$0.00
EXTENSI	ION FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$130.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIM	IER FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (sub	otract ½ of above):	\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$0.00

- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date January 21, 2005

(Friday after Presidential Inauguration holiday)

FOLEY & LARDNER LLP

Customer Number: 22428

Telephone:

(202) 945-6162

Facsimile:

(202) 672-5399

By Baron C. Wal

Pavan K. Agarwal Registration No. 40,888

Aaron C. Chatterjee

Registration No. 41,398

Attorneys for Applicant



Applicant: Hiroyuki OTA

Title: SYSTEM FOR COMPUTING PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTION OF LOAN

LOSSES

Appl. No.: 09/540,890

Filing Date: 03/31/2000

Examiner: S. Snapp

Art Unit: 3624

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 20, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: